

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 8 and 9 Vict. cap. 38, of the Amount of BANK NOTES authorized by Law to be Issued by the several Banks of Issue in SCOTLAND, and the Average Amount of Bank Notes in Circulation, and of Coin held during the four weeks ending Saturday the 20th day of May 1848.

| Name and Title as set forth in Licence. | Name of the Firm. | Head Office or Principal Place of Issue. | Circulation authorized by Certificate. | Average Circulation during four Weeks ending as above. | | | Average Amount of Coin held during four Weeks ending as above. | | |
|---|--|--|--|--|-----------|--------|--|---------|--------|
| | | | | £5 and upwards. | Under £5. | Total. | Gold. | Silver. | Total. |
| Bank of Scotland..... | The Governor and Company of the Bank of Scotland..... | Edinburgh | £. 300485 | 108480 | 223206 | 331686 | 136336 | 27336 | 163672 |
| Royal Bank of Scotland..... | Royal Bank of Scotland..... | Edinburgh | 183000 | 63970 | 127134 | 191104 | 71982 | 13300 | 85282 |
| British Linen Company..... | British Linen Company..... | Edinburgh | 438024 | 131842 | 261430 | 390272 | 121256 | 30358 | 151614 |
| Commercial Bank of Scotland..... | Commercial Bank of Scotland..... | Edinburgh | 374880 | 143413 | 276615 | 420028 | 103804 | 35978 | 139782 |
| National Bank of Scotland..... | National Bank of Scotland..... | Edinburgh | 297024 | 90993 | 189694 | 280688 | 50066 | 25022 | 75088 |
| Union Bank of Scotland..... | Union Bank of Scotland..... | Edinburgh | 327223 | 110916 | 203445 | 314361 | 57482 | 31589 | 89071 |
| Edinburgh and Glasgow Bank..... | Edinburgh and Glasgow Bank..... | Edinburgh | 136657 | 46857 | 69671 | 116528 | 31848 | 5446 | 37294 |
| Banking Company in Aberdeen..... | Banking Company in Aberdeen..... | Aberdeen | 88467 | 31496 | 68724 | 100220 | 19335 | 8681 | 28017 |
| Aberdeen Town and County Banking Company..... | Aberdeen Town and County Banking Company..... | Aberdeen | 70133 | 27145 | 53849 | 80993 | 11168 | 3281 | 14449 |
| North of Scotland Banking Company..... | North of Scotland Banking Company..... | Aberdeen | 154319 | 55807 | 88357 | 144164 | 7128 | 13358 | 20486 |
| Dundee Banking Company..... | Dundee Banking Company..... | Dundee | 33451 | 6397 | 19989 | 26366 | 4737 | 614 | 5351 |
| Eastern Bank of Scotland..... | Eastern Bank of Scotland..... | Dundee | 33636 | 9635 | 21568 | 31224 | 4710 | 822 | 5532 |
| Western Bank of Scotland..... | { Western Bank of Scotland, the Greenock Bank, the Dundee Union Bank, the Pais'ey Commercial Bank, and Ayrshire Banking Company..... } | Glasgow | 337938 | 113065 | 264717 | 377782 | 62354 | 35278 | 97632 |
| Clydesdale Banking Company..... | Clydesdale Banking Company..... | Glasgow | 104028 | 21308 | 78975 | 100281 | 15493 | 10226 | 25719 |
| City of Glasgow Bank..... | City of Glasgow Bank..... | Glasgow | 72921 | 43810 | 59551 | 103364 | 29824 | 21261 | 51085 |
| Caledonian Banking Company..... | Caledonian Banking Company..... | Inverness | 53434 | 16770 | 35265 | 52055 | 6439 | 8887 | 15326 |
| Perth Banking Company..... | Perth Banking Company..... | Perth | 38656 | 13085 | 26198 | 39283 | 11605 | 787 | 12393 |
| Central Bank of Scotland..... | Central Bank of Scotland..... | Perth | 42933 | 14632 | 31265 | 45897 | 7261 | 2260 | 9521 |

I hereby certify, that each of the Bankers named in the above Return, who have in Circulation an Amount of Notes beyond that authorized in their Certificate, with the exception of _____ have held an Amount of Gold and Silver Coin, not less than that which they are required to hold during the period to which this Return relates.

Dated this 1st day of June 1848.

P. DEANS, Officer of Stamp Duties.

AN ACCOUNT of the Total quantities of each Kind of CORN, distinguishing Foreign and Colonial, imported into the principal Ports of GREAT BRITAIN (viz. London, Liverpool, Hull, Newcastle, Bristol, Gloucester, Plymouth, Leith, Glasgow, Dundee, and Perth,) with the Quantities entered therein for Home Consumption, the Rates and Amount of Duty, and the Average Prices regulating the Duty, in the Week following the Receipt of the Certificate of Average Prices, dated 18th May 1848.

| SPECIES. | Quantities Imported into the Ports of Great Britain, enumerated above (being those into which Corn is chiefly imported.) | | | Quantities entered for Home Consumption, at the same Ports. | | | Amount of Duty received. | | | Average Prices for regulating the Duty. | Rates of Duty per Quarter, chargeable in the Week. | |
|------------------------------|--|---------------------|-----------------------|---|---------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|---|--|--------------|
| | Foreign | Colonial | Total | Foreign | Colonial | Total | Foreign | Colonial | Total | | Foreign | Colonial |
| Wheat and Wheat Flour | Qrs. 10722 Bush. 0 | Qrs. 598 Bush. 1 | Qrs. 11320 Bush. 1 | Qrs. 7387 Bush. 7 | Qrs. 175 Bush. 1 | Qrs. 7563 Bush. 0 | l. 2481 s. 12 d. 0 | l. 8 s. 15 d. 2 | l. 2490 s. 7 d. 2 | s. 49 d. 11 | s. 8 d. 0 | } 1 0 Fixed. |
| Barley and Barley Meal | 14450 3 | — | 14450 3 | 142 7 4 | — | 14207 4 | 1420 14 11 | — | 1420 14 11 | 32 0 | 2 0 | |
| Oats and Oat Meal | 6499 3 | — | 6499 3 | 5840 6 | — | 5840 6 | 876 2 4 | — | 876 2 4 | 19 9 | 3 0 | |
| Rye and Rye Meal | 4 3 | — | 4 3 | 784 0 | — | 784 0 | 78 7 11 | — | 78 7 11 | — | Same as Barley. | |
| Pease | 1312 7 | — | 1312 7 | 1274 5 | — | 1274 5 | 127 9 3 | — | 127 9 3 | — | Ditto. | |
| Beans | 3336 2 | — | 3336 2 | 3926 2 | — | 3926 2 | 392 12 6 | — | 392 12 6 | — | Ditto. | |
| Indian Corn & Indian Meal | 20236 0 | — | 20236 0 | 21100 7 | — | 21100 7 | 1055 1 6 | — | 1055 1 6 | — | 1 0 Fixed. | |
| Buck Wheat & Buck Wheat Meal | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 1 0 Fixed. | |
| | 56661 2 | 598 1 | 57259 3 | 54521 7 | 175 1 | 54697 0 | 6432 0 5 | 8 15 2 | 6440 15 7 | | | |

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Office of the Inspector-General of Imports and Exports, Custom-house, London, 31st May 1848.